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SUBJECT: NOTICE OF FINAL DETERMINATION OF COMBATANT STATUS:  
BAHRAIN

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Classified By: Ambassador William T. Monroe. Reason: 1.4 (b)(d)

(C) Ambassador on January 17 informed Minister of State for Foreign Affairs Mohammed Abdel Ghaffar that the two additional Bahraini citizens listed in reftel had been reviewed by the Combatant Status Review Tribunal and been determined to meet the criteria for designation as enemy combatants. Abdel Ghaffar expressed disappointment, noting that Foreign Minister Shaikh Mohammed had received a parliamentary delegation the day before asking about the status of Bahrain's six detainees.  
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